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A SIGNIFICANT SPEECH.

M. Pelletan, the French minister of marine, made a remarkable speech at an entertainment of the municipality of Bizerta, Tunis, Monday evening, which, it is expected, will cause the French foreign minister, M. Delcasse, some trouble to explain.

After pointing out the importance of Bizerta as a bulwark of France, M. Pelletan proceeded: "We do not say we want to make the Mediterranean a French lake. We have been cured of the dreams of the great man who wished us to dominate the world. But part of the Mediterranean is French and will remain French.

With this powerful rampart so well situated for defense and also for attack, and with Corsica and Toulon we can hold the open door between the two halves of the Mediterranean, in spite of Malta and Gibraltar. Certainly I do not desire a conflict of peoples against England any more than against Italy, but, as we do not know what others are doing, it is part of our duty to prepare for the worst."

Then the French Fatherland against its enemies, whoever they may be. I am convinced, thanks to the fellow-workers with whom I am surrounded, that we can face every eventuality. Security hardly exists any more for the civilized world. At the end of the nineteenth century, after the defeat of France by the barbarism of Old Germany, we saw an offensive return of the law of brute force. The whole world seemed to be dominated by the maxim, 'Might before right.' We must then devote all our efforts to keeping intact that focus of justice and light—French genius."

M. Pelletan concluded with remarking that he would not say more at present. He had not yet become accustomed to being a minister, and feared he might be carried away into expressing his opinion of matters which exclusively concerned the foreign minister. France has at Bizerta a powerful military and naval stronghold, which, with Toulon on the north of the Mediterranean, French military and naval men assert that France's naval power in the west of the Mediterranean is unassailable, and all that is required to consolidate the position of France is the construction of the so-called canal of two seas, which is to unite the Mediterranean with the Bay of Biscay, and thus render her independent of the Straits of Gibraltar.

SAVED BY PET DOG.

Clover Hill, the handsome residence of Simon Friedberger, a wealthy lace manufacturer, of Germantown, Pa., was ransacked by burglars Monday night, who administered chloroform to the sleeping occupants before making their tour of the house. That murder and burglary did not result is due solely to the vigilance of a pet dog. The barking of this little animal aroused the neighbors and frightened the thieves away. In their flight the burglars left behind them money and jewelry to the amount of \$8,000, which they had packed up ready for removal. Thomas F. Jones, the neighbor who first heard the dog's bark, fired several shots at the thieves, and then went to the assistance of the Friedberger family. All were suffering from the effects of drugs, and the odor of chloroform was apparent in all parts of the house. The victims recovered after restoratives had been applied, and all are now out of danger. The thieves entered by climbing over the porch, and then pried open a second story window. They first cut out the electric light and burglar connections, and then applied the anesthetic to the members of the Friedberger family. Apparently the servants were not molested. Unhindered in their work, the burglars stripped the clothing and furniture in the sleeping apartments, and then emptied the silver closet and wardrobe. Plunder valued at several thousand dollars, including diamonds and jewelry, was carried down stairs and piled up ready for removal, when a King Charles spaniel owned by Miss Lazarus interrupted their labors. The men were seen to leap from the porch roof to the lawn, and it was then that Jones and his two sons fired at them. The only booty secured was a diamond pin and about \$80 in money.

BURSTING OF RESERVOIR.

The Savage reservoir, one of the five belonging to the Utica Water Works Company, and supplying water to Utica, N. Y., burst its bounds yesterday afternoon and sent its millions upon millions of gallons of water on a mission of destruction through the eastern suburbs of the city. Houses were hurled from their foundations, barns upset, trees uprooted, and all sent tumbling down stream. Considerable live stock was also caught in the torrent and swept to destruction. Many bridges, too, with their stone abutments, were swept aside like chips. The twenty-foot culvert under the West Shore Railroad tracks in Utica became clogged at 4 o'clock. Trees and bridges had been washed down the valley and above the culvert

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A Certain Cure for Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

"Some years ago I was one of a party that intended making a long, bicycle trip," says F. L. Taylor, of New Albany, Bradford county, Pa. "I was taken suddenly with diarrhoea, and was about to give up the trip, when editor Ward, of the Laceyville Messenger, suggested that I take a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I purchased a bottle and took two doses, one before starting and one one the route. I made the trip successfully, and never felt any ill effect. Again last summer I was almost completely run down with an attack of dysentery, and this time one dose cured me." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

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